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**UTILITY
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under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.	8271
First Inventor	Haile (NMN) Mehansho
Assignee	The Procter & Gamble Co.
Title	Beverage Compositions Comprising Arabinogalactan and Defined Minerals
Express Mail Label No.	EK952553260US

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
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2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status
(see 37 CFR §1.27)
3. ☒ Specification Total Pages [32]
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 - Descriptive Title of the Invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☐ Drawing(s) (35 USC §113) Total Sheets ☐
5. Oath or Declaration Total pages [2]
 - a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR §1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 complete)
 - i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTORS**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
named in the prior application,
see 37 CFR §§1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR §1.76

7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
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9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
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(if foreign priority is claimed)
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122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form
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37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE – Large Entity

Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101 710	Utility filing fee	[X]
106 320	Design filing fee	
107 490	Plant filing fee	
108 710	Reissue filing fee	
114 150	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)[710]

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES – Large Entity

		Extra Claims		Below Fee		Fee Paid
Total Claims	[23] - 20** =	[3]	x	[18]	=	[54]
Independent Claims	[1] - 3** =	[0]	x	[0]	=	[0]
Multiple Dependent				[0]	=	[0]

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Code (\$)	Fee Description
103 18	Claims in excess of 20
102 80	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 270	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 80	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 & over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)[54]

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105 130	Surcharge-late filing fee or oath	
127 50	Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139 130	Non-English specification	
147 2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner's action	
113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner's action	
115 110	Extension for reply within 1 st month	
116 390	Extension for reply within 2 nd month	
117 890	Extension for reply within 3 rd month	
118 1,390	Extension for reply within 4 th month	
128 1,890	Extension for reply within 5 th month	
119 310	Notice of Appeal	
120 310	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 270	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141 1,240	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142 1,240	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 440	Design issue fee	
144 600	Plant issue fee	
122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123 50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	
146 710	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149 710	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR §1.129(b)	
179 710	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169 710	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
	Other fee (specify)	
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